

SUMTER COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

SUBJECT: Local Mitigation Strategies Task Force's Project Initiative

REQUESTED ACTION: Adopt by Resolution

☐ Work Session (Report Only)

DATE OF MEETING: 12/29/2009

☒ Regular Meeting

☐ Special Meeting

CONTRACT: ☒ N/A

Vendor/Entity: _____

Effective Date: _____

Termination Date: _____

Managing Division / Dept: _____

BUDGET IMPACT:

☐ Annual

FUNDING SOURCE: _____

☐ Capital

EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT: _____

☒ N/A

HISTORY/FACTS/ISSUES:

Sumter County must maintain a current County Emergency Management Plan (CEMP) on file and approved by the State of Florida Division of Emergency Management. To keep the plan current it must be updated periodically. Part of the updating process requires the establishment and listing in priority rank order of the greatest threats to life, health and safety for the citizens of Sumter County in the event of adverse weather, terrorist activity or any disaster of natural occurrence or man-made. A team, comprised of local public safety, health and local government officials referred to as the "Local Mitigation Strategies Task Force" (LMSTF) is charged with the responsibility to develop, score and rank this list.

For inclusion in the CEMP, the Board of County Commissioners should review the list and adopt same through resolution. The attached resolution and list identify those projects which the Task Force felt most appropriate.

There is no direct funding guarantee for projects identified by the LMSTF, however when a project is listed and the list adopted into the CEMP, it may qualify for funding consideration for various grant opportunities and mitigation funds for recovery in the event of disaster.
